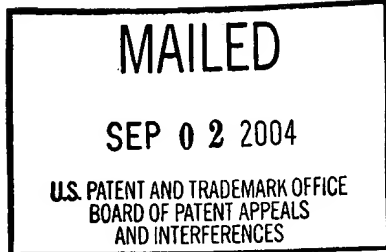


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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS
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Ex parte TIMOTHY C. LOOSE

Application 09/635,956

ORDER RETURNING UNDOCKETED APPEAL TO EXAMINER

This application was received at the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on August 4, 2004. A review of the application has revealed that the application is not ready for docketing as an appeal. Accordingly, the application is herewith being returned to the examiner. The matters requiring attention prior to docketing are identified below.

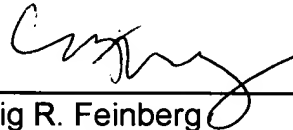
This application was returned to the Examiner on May 7, 2004 for correction of the Appendix to the Appeal Brief because claims 23, 27 and 28 in the Appendix of the Appeal Brief did not correspond with the claims as presented in Amendment A. This correction was not completed.

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Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the application is returned to the Examiner for correction of the claims and for such further action as may be appropriate.

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